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In re Application of: Chevillard, et al.	§ Attorney Docket No. COS-955
Serial No.: 10/766,672	§ Group Art Unit: 1732
Confirmation No.: 3031	§
Filed: January 28, 2004	§ Examiner: Eashoo, Mark
For: Methods to Improve High Melt Processing of Styrenic Resins at High Shear Rates	§

See attached Amendment and Response to Office Action dated, November 22, 2006, Petition and Fee for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR §1.136(a) for Three Months and Fee Transmittal.

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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 Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEESFee Description

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Small EntityFee (\$)

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

Total ClaimsExtra ClaimsFee (\$)Fee Paid (\$)Multiple Dependent ClaimsFee (\$)Fee Paid (\$)

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3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

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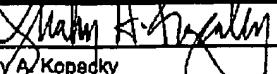
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Name (Print/Type)	Shirley A. Kopacki		Date March 14, 2007

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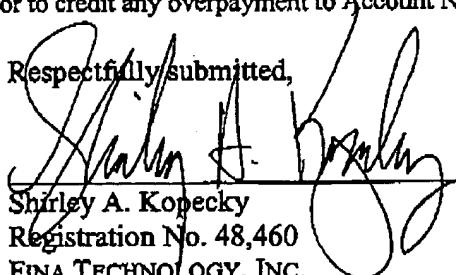
In connection with the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully submit the following documents:

- 1) Response to Office Action dated November 22, 2006;
- 2) Listing of Claims;
- 3) Petition and Fee for Extension of Time for Three Month; and
- 4) Fee Transmittal.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$1,020.00 for three-month extension of time and any additional fees that may be required or to credit any overpayment to Account No. 03-3345.

Date: March 14, 2007

Respectfully submitted,


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